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 LR 274, 441, 449

Your Committee on Agriculture reports LR 441 back to the Legislature for further consideration. Education Committee, chaired by Senator Raikes, reports LB 627 to General File with committee amendments attached. I have a confirmation report from the Education Committee. Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 79, LB 965, LB 965A, LR 274CA, all of those items reported correctly engrossed. And, Mr. President, I have a new resolution, LR 449, offered by Senators Chambers, Beutler, McDonald, Stuthman, Thompson, invoking and adopting...proposing the adoption of Articles of Impeachment against one C. David Hergert. That resolution will be laid over, Mr. President. That's all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 1551-1564.)

SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Visitors introduced.) It is 4:00. As the agenda states, General File, 2006 committee first priority bill. Mr. Clerk, LB 1024, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 1024, a bill introduced originally by Senator Raikes. (Read title.) The bill was debated last Thursday most recently, Mr. President. At that time, the committee amendments were offered. There was an amendment to the committee amendments by Senator Raikes that was adopted. A second by Senator Raikes. Senator Chambers had an amendment adopted, AM3142. Senator Bourne had an amendment adopted. Mr. President, I now have a priority motion. Senator Cornett would move to reconsider the vote on the adoption of the Chambers amendment, AM3142.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Raikes, would you...we are on General File, just take a minute and brief us on the bill itself.

SENATOR RAIKES: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Legislature. LB 1024 would provide for the formation of a learning community in the metro area, Sarpy, Douglas County. It would also provide for the opportunity for that sort of arrangement other places in the state. The learning community would be responsible for a common financial base within the